

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Gary Tessman, Jr. et al.                          Art Unit : 2163  
Serial No. : 10/007,696                                  Examiner : Marilyn Nguyen  
Filed : December 10, 2001                                  Confirmation No.: 9895  
    Notice of Allowance Date: May 2, 2006  
Title : DISTRIBUTED IMAGE STORAGE ARCHITECTURE

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE**

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed May 2, 2006, enclosed is a completed issue fee transmittal form PTOL-85b.

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: 8/2/2006

  
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